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Docket No.: 16356.807 (DC-05014)
Customer No.: 000027683

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:
Edington, Larry G., et al.

Serial No. 10/613,886

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For: ENCRYPTED RESPONSE
SMART BATTERY

§ Examiner: Tso, Edward H.
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§ Group Art Unit: 2838
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§ Notice of Allowance Date:
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§ Confirmation No.: 6874
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ACCOMPANYING AMENDMENT

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Sir:

This Amendment is being filed after issuance of the Notice of Allowance to allow for amendments to independent claims 18 and 21. Entry of these amendments is respectfully requested.

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Claims 18 and 21 are amended and all previously allowed claims 1-22 remain in the application. Re-examination and reconsideration of the application, as amended, are requested.